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ANECDOTES OF SIR EDWIN LAND-SEER. Although numerous jocidents in the life of Sir Eiwin Lindseer have appeared both in English and Emerican journals since his death,

there seems no diminution of interest in the details of the artistic career of this wonderful painter of animals. A lengthy article which recently appeared in the Cornhill Magazine gives a fresh insight into his early life, and a clearer idea of his characteristic traits, than can be obtained by most of the formal biographies which have been written. In our brief space we can only abridge a few isolated facts

or incidents. When a baby boy Edwin Landseer delighted to draw from copies set him by mother and sisters, only he complained then of their sameness, and his wise father bid him take Nature as his copy. In the South Kensigton Museum is a little picture of a donkey, marked "E. Landseer, five years old." Another drawing of a pointer curling his tail was sketched at the age of six. Time developed the fairy gift with which young Edwin was born; at eight he was always drawing animals, although when a mere lad he painted in oil the portrait of his baby sister, toddling about in a big bonnet. He was ed the Royal Academy as a student, and there

a pretty little curly-headed boy when he enterattracted Fuseli's attention by his talents and gentle manners. Fuseli would look around for him and say, "Where is my little dog boy?" Perhaps the secret of the little "dog-boy's" success lay partially in his love for animals. Certainly he understood how to deal with them, and his wonderful power over them is well known. An illustrious lady once asked him how it was he gained this influence. "By peeping into their hearts, ma'am," was his answer. A large party of his friends were with him at his house in St. John's Wood on one occasion; his servant opened the door, three or four dogs rushed in, one a very fierce-looking mastiff. The ladies recoiled, but the creature bounded up to Landseer, treating him like an old friend, with most expressive demonstrations of delight. Some one remarking how fond the dogs seemed of him, he said, "I never saw it before in my life." On another occasion he came in from his meadow, somewhat disheveled and tired, "What have you been doing?" asked a friend. "Only teaching some horses tricks for Astley's; and here is my whip," he said, showing a piece of sugar in his hand. He said that breaking in houses meant more, often breaking their hearts, and rotbing them of all their spirit. Landseer's studio was a charming place, and much frequented by the elite of London society. No one was more often there than D'Orsay, with his good-humored face, ready wit, and delicate flattery. "Landseer," he would call out, at his entrance, "keep the dogs off"-referring to the painted ones; "I want to come in, and some of them will bute me--and that fellow in the corner is tail by growling furiously." The same visitor one day jy 14 gravely asked for a pin, and when it was given him, with the inquiry what he wanted it for, he replied. "To take the thorn out of that dog's foot; do you not see what pain he is in?" Headache, Neuralgia and Nervou-ness. Fo wished to die. To the very end he did not give up his work. When he was almost at his worst they gave him his casel and canvass and left him in his studio, hoping that work might help him forget his suffering. When

his attendants came back they found that he

allegory of all creeds and all created things com-

ing together in the light of truth. It is now

owned by the Queen. She wrote to her old

friend and expressed her admiration for it, and asked to become the possessor. Her interest and sympathy brightened the sadness of the last days of Edwin Landseer. ARSENIC EATERS.-At a meeting of German natural philosophers in Vienna, Dr. Knapp introduced two arsenic eaters from Syria; the one ate 0 30 grammes of yellow sulphuret of arsonic, the other 0.40 grammes of arsenic acid, in sight of the Assembly. In his lecture on the arsenic eaters Dr. Knapp said among other things: "It is difficult to give any certain particulars as to the increase in number of arsenic eaters. I have convinced myself that there exist many of them in Upper Syria, and also in Middle Syria; very many stable boys, ostlers, woodcutters and foresters are known to me as arsenic eaters, even the female sex is addicted to the practice. Many began already at seventeen or eigh teen years of age to take arsenic, and continued it to a great age. Most arsenic caters keep the matter secret, so that it is impossible to give accurate statistics. They all assign as their motives for indulging in the habit that it prevents illness; further, their wish to look rosy and healthy; that it is a remedy against difficulty of breathing, and assists the digestion of indigestible food. A poacher in Upper Syria, who made experiments in my presence of eating arsenic, told me he had acquired courage by the habit. The appearance of the arsenie-eaters in all cases known to me is healthy and robust. I think only robust persins can become accustomed to the pratice. Some of them attain a great age. Thus in Zeiring I saw a charcoal burner, upward of seventy, still strong and hearty, who, I was told, had taken arsenic for more than forty years. I heard, too, of a chamois hunter of eighty-one, who had long been used to eat arsenic. I never observed an arsenic cachezy in those addicted to the habit. It certainly happened once that such an arsenic-eater, (a leather dresser's apprentice in Ligist, 1865,) while intoxicated took too much, thereby poisoning himself severely. According to his own account he had taken a piece as large as a bean.-He entirely recovered, however, and ate arsenie afterward, but more carefully. As far as my observations extend, white arsenic, (also called flowers of arsenic,) and the yellow arsenie, (orpiment,) are taken, and that in a dry state, alone, or on bread. The dose is of

course very small at first, and is gradually in-

creased, the largest quantity eaten in my pres-

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the 17th of April, 1865. The intevals, too, at which arsenic is taken vary—every fortnight, G. WM. RAMSAY. every week, twice or three times a week. But sep 11 Corner King and St. Asaph streets red by the present experiments.

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S. D. HARPER. [jy 30] Alexandria, Va. HINGES, SCREWS, LOCKS, SASH PUL-LEYS and other Hardware for the use of builders, at 88 King street, corner of Royal st., Alexandria, Va.-We have on hand a large stock of the above named goods, which were purchased at low figures, and will be sold at a small proft. Persons who are in want will find it to their advantage to call and examine. jy 15 J. T. CREIGHTON & SON.

PARIS GREEN, the popular article for the destruction of the potato bug. We have just received a large supply direct from the factory. For sale by ie 4 E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO. CHOPPING AXES and AX HELVES, o assorted quality; a large lot just received

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supply on hand; prices low, at 83 King street, corner of Royal street. J. T. CREIGHTON & SON. ST. EMALION CLARET-We have just received this very superior Wine, in cases of one dozen quarts. We are offering it at low

figures. McBURNEY & SON. aug 5 RECEIVED THIS DAY BY RAIL a fine lot of SUGAR CURED HAMS, small sizes. JOHNSON & SHERWOOD, N. E. cor. Cameron and Royal ste. oct 7

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ON HAND AND FOR SALE—Sardines, French Mustard, Pickles, Olive and Sweet JOHNSON & SHERWOOD, N. E corner Cameron and Royal sts. RAMSAY'S CORNER.

LEGAL NOTICES.

VIRGINIA: In the Clerk's office of the Corporation Court of the city of Alexandria, on the 28th day of September, 1875: George Mason. Executor of Willis Henderson, dec'd., plaintiff, vs. John T. Henderson, defendant. In

plaintiff, vs. John T. Henderson, defendant. In chancery.

Memo: The object of this suit is to set up a certain lost note for the sum of five hundred dollars, dated July 22nd, 1866, and payable twelve months after date, and to substitute a trustee in a deed of trust from John T. Henderson to L. B. Taylor, dated December 10, 1866, and recorded in liber X, No. 3, page 502, land records Alexandria county, Va., and to subject the property therein conveyed to the payment of the said note. of the said note.

The defendant not having entered his appearnd given security according to the act of
ee a and the rules of this Court, and it apsembly, davit that he is not a resident of ance a Assembly, red that said defendant appear pearing by am after due publication of this State, it is oruc. researy to protect his here within one mont. copy of this orthis order, and do what is no interest in this suit; and that a 'ty of Alder be forthwith inserted in the A. zette, a newspaper published in the ca-exandria, once a week for four successive w and posted at the front door of the Court Hou.

of this city. A copy-test. MORTON MARYE, Clerk. Kent & Neale, p. q.

COMMISSIONER'S OFFICE, No. 56 King st., Alexandria, Va.,

September 23, 1875.
In the Corporation Court of Alexandria city.
Margaret Gallagher, who sues on behalf of herself and other creditors of the estate of Robert Alexander, dec'd., vs. J. B. Hodgkin, administrator d. b. n. of Robert Alexander, deceased; James Robert Alexander, Charles William Alexander, Clarence Lee Alexander, Betty Jackson Alexander, and Eveline Reid Alexander, infant children of Robert Alexander, dec'd.; E. S. Alexander, widow of Robert Alexander, dec'd., and Cecelia Virginia Boyd and Charles Boyd, her husband.

[Extract from the decree of Sept. term, 1875.] "The Court doth adjudge, order and decree that this cause be referred to K. Kemper, one of the Commissioners of this Court, who, after publishing the notice of the time and place of taking the same once a week for four successive weeks in some newspaper published in Alexan-dria city, shall take and state the following accounts: "1. A general accounts of the liabilities and

debts of the estate of Robert Alexander, dec'd. "2. The administration account of J. B. Hodg-kin as the administrator of the estate of Robert Alexander, deceased. "3. To ascertain and report the personal as-

and if the said personal estate should be insuf-ficient to pay the indebtedness of the said estate, then to ascertain what part of the real estate of the said decedent can be most judiciously sold so as to subserve the interests of all parties.' NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN 'and' proceedings that I have fixed upon THURSDAY, October 28th, 1875, at my office, Alexandria, Va., as the time and place when and where I

shall proceed to execute the above decree, at which time and place they are required to attend. Given under my hand this 23d day of September, 1875. K. KEMPER, Comm'r. in Chy. Kent & Neale, p. q. sep 24-w4w

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